

Cargo-Carrying U.S.-Flag Fleet by Area of Operation
(Carrying Capacity Expressed in Thousands of Metric Tons)
As of January 1, 1999

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Area of Operation	Liquid Carriers		Dry Bulk Carriers		Containerships		Other Freighters*		Total Fleet	
	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons
Foreign Trade	67	1,970	232	964	63	2,420	45	1,051	407	6,405
Self-propelled	29	1,737	7	357	63	2,420	45	1,051	144	5,565
>=1,000 Gross Tons	29	1,737	7	357	63	2,420	45	1,051	144	5,565
< 1,000 Gross Tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-self-propelled**	38	233	225	607	0	0	0	0	263	840
>=1,000 Gross Tons	33	230	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	230
< 1,000 Gross Tons	5	3	225	607	0	0	0	0	230	610
Domestic Trade	3,380	16,236	21,275	36,675	48	752	4,244	4,395	28,947	58,058
Coastal (including non-contiguous)	547	9,647	497	1,491	47	751	1,342	1,620	2,433	13,509
Self-propelled	85	6,165	4	153	24	598	6	103	119	7,019
>=1,000 Gross Tons	85	6,165	4	153	24	598	6	103	119	7,019
< 1,000 Gross Tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-self-propelled**	462	3,482	493	1,338	23	153	1,336	1,517	2,314	6,490
>=1,000 Gross Tons	378	3,384	153	868	23	153	160	852	714	5,257
< 1,000 Gross Tons	84	98	340	470	0	0	1,176	665	1,600	1,233
Internal Waterways	2,789	6,450	20,691	33,164	1	1	2,827	2,664	26,308	42,279
Self-propelled	0	0	0	0	1	1	609	162	610	163
>=1,000 Gross Tons	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	2
< 1,000 Gross Tons	0	0	0	0	1	1	608	160	609	161
Non-self-propelled	2,789	6,450	20,691	33,164	0	0	2,218	2,502	25,698	42,116
>=1,000 Gross Tons	1,255	4,075	318	1,191	0	0	88	379	1,661	5,645
< 1,000 Gross Tons	1,534	2,375	20,373	31,973	0	0	2,130	2,123	24,037	36,471
Great Lakes	44	139	87	2,020	0	0	75	111	206	2,270
Self-propelled	3	22	61	1,896	0	0	0	0	64	1,918
>=1,000 Gross Tons	2	21	57	1,894	0	0	0	0	59	1,915
< 1,000 Gross Tons	1	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	5	3
Non-self-propelled	41	117	26	124	0	0	75	111	142	352
>=1,000 Gross Tons	23	90	5	92	0	0	4	10	32	192
< 1,000 Gross Tons	18	27	21	32	0	0	71	101	110	160
TOTAL Commercial Fleet	3,447	18,206	21,507	37,639	111	3,172	4,289	5,446	29,354	64,463
National Defense Reserve Fleet***	28	884	0	0	4	69	146	2,457	178	3,410
Ready Reserve Force(RRF)	10	303	0	0	2	33	77	1,539	89	1,875
Other Reserve	18	581	0	0	2	36	69	918	89	1,535
Other Government	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	258	7	258
Sealift Vessels	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	258	7	258
GRAND TOTAL	3,475	19,090	21,507	37,639	115	3,241	4,442	8,161	29,539	68,131

* Includes General Cargo, Ro-Ro, Multi-purpose, LASH vessels, and Deck Barges; Excludes Offshore Supply Vessels.

** Integrated Tug Barges of 1,000grt & greater are contained in non-self-propelled categories as follows: Foreign Trade - 2 liquid (78,000 tons); Domestic Coastal - 11 liquid (413,000 tons), 4 dry bulk (95,000 tons), 1 other freighter (20,000 tons); Great Lakes - 2 liquid (19,000), 7 dry bulk (153,100)

*** Self Propelled Vessels => 1,000 Gross Tons; excludes two RRF Passenger vessels of 25,588 Dwt and nine other Passenger vessels of 82,822 Dwt.

Source: U.S. Maritime Administration, Office of Statistical & Economic Analysis; adapted from U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Coast Guard and U.S. Customs Service data
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Table 2

U.S.-Flag Fleet of Passenger Vessels, Tugs/Towboats, and Other Work Boats*
As of January 1, 1999

Type of Vessel	No.	Capacity Unit
Passenger Vessels		Passengers
< 150 Passenger capacity	839	56,020
=> 150 Passenger capacity	652	354,665
Total	1,491	410,685
Tugs/Towboats		Horsepower
< 1,500 Horsepower	3,418	2,476,896
=> 1,500 Horsepower	2,028	7,148,189
Total	5,446	9,625,085
Other Work Boats**		Metric Tons
< 1,000 Tons Capacity	1,377	271,029
=> 1,000 Tons Capacity	47	75,051
Total	1,424	346,080

* Inventory Data

** Includes Crewboats, Supply, and Utility Vessels.

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